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Applicant respectfully requests that the enclosed formal drawings be reviewed by the Official Draftsperson and approved for inclusion with the above-referenced application.

The Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due stated that new drawings as "replacement sheets" must be submitted including the changes required by the Examiner's Amendment/Comment mailed 20050210. Therefore, Applicant requests that these drawings replace the drawings previously approved by the Examiner and be included with the issued patent. In addition, Applicant states that the drawings submitted with this letter do not introduce new matter for review, and are submitted only as a formality.

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